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**Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D. C.**

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Dear Mr. Dulles:

The Joint Chiefs of Staff have again authorized a quota of civilian students for the 1958-59 Resident Course of the Industrial College of the Armed Forces. You are therefore invited to nominate a candidate for the course which is expected to begin about the middle of August 1958.

Inclosed is a copy of our current catalog which contains information concerning the mission and curriculum of the College. I am sure that you will agree with me that the nature of the course is such that your Agency would derive the greatest benefits from the participation of a member who meets the suggested standards listed below. He should:

- a. Intend to make a career of Civil Service.**
- b. Possess the educational background, maturity and poise to meet and work with the other students who represent a highly selected group from among the senior officers of the military services. The military students are Lieutenant Colonels and Colonels of the Army, Air Force and Marines, and Commanders and Captains from the Navy.**
- c. Possess the potential for positions of increased responsibility within the Agency.**
- d. Be the type whose absence for the ten months necessary to take the course would entail a real sacrifice by the Agency.**

A personal history summary is requested for your nominee. A clearance to receive Top Secret information is required for each student prior to admission. A clearance to receive Atomic Energy Restricted Data will be required prior to 1 November 1958.

The College is most impressed with the quality of participation by your representatives who have attended our courses. I feel sure that this participation has been of real benefit to the College and the Central Intelligence Agency. I look forward to a continuation of this mutually beneficial association.

Sincerely yours,

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GEORGE W. MUNDY
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Commandant

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